# The Road Inventory of Lake Ilo National Wildlife Refuge Dunn Center, ND





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#### INTRODUCTION

The Transportation Equity Act for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century (Public Law 105-178) created the Refuge Roads Program. Refuge roads are those public roads that provide access to or within a unit of the National Wildlife Refuge System and for which title and maintenance responsibility is vested in the United States Government. Funds from the Highway Trust Fund are available for refuge roads and can be used by the station to pay the cost of:

- (a) Maintenance and improvements of refuge roads.
- (b) Maintenance and improvements of:
  - (1) Adjacent vehicle parking areas
  - (2) Provision for pedestrians and bicycles and
  - (3) Construction and reconstruction of roadside rest areas that are located in or adjacent to wildlife refuges
- (c) Administrative costs associated with such maintenance and improvements.

The funds available for refuge roads are to be disbursed based on the relative needs of the various refuges in the National Wildlife Refuge System, and taking into consideration:

- (a) The comprehensive conservation plan for each refuge;
- (b) The need for access as identified through land use planning; and
- (c) The impact of land use planning on existing transportation facilities.

To determine the relative needs of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) was asked to inventory all public access roads and parking lots and provide a condition assessment of each. In 2008 the inventory was expanded to include administrative (service use only) roads in addition to public access roads. An FHWA representative meets with refuge personnel to identify route segments and assign route numbers and functional classifications (See Appendix) for each route. All roads and parking lots are mapped using Trimble GPS units and visually assessed for condition using the RSL method of evaluation developed at Utah State University (See Appendix). Culverts, Gates, Guardrails and Low Water Crossings are also mapped and inspected for any obvious defects.

An estimate is provided, in year 2008 dollars, based on the condition determined by the rating system. Estimates are based upon data and location factors from the 2008 RS Means Heavy Construction Cost Data 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Edition. Cost estimates should be evaluated on a case-by-case basis when being used for programming purposes.

In addition to this report, the FHWA will furnish the condition ratings of each route and segment to the Fish and Wildlife Service in a Microsoft Access database so the data can be included in their Real Property Inventory.

## Lake Ilo NWR

## **Summaries**

Route Miles and Percentages by Functional Class and Condition

	Condition Rating (Based on RSL)*										
	Excellent		Good		Fair		Poor		Failed		TOTAL
F. C.	MILES	%	MILES	%	MILES	%	MILES	%	MILES	%	MILES
I	1.34	41.0%	1.93	59.0%							3.27
II	2.48	87.8%	0.34	12.2%							2.82
III			0.03	100%							0.03
IV			0.21	100%							0.21
V	0.61	32.0%	1.30	68.0%							1.90
Totals	4.43	53.8%	3.81	46%							8.24

<sup>\*</sup>For a description of condition ratings for the various surface types see the Appendix.

## Route Miles and Percentages by Surface Type and Condition

	Paved Condition Rating [Condition(RSL)]										
	Excellent (19-20) Good (13-18)				Fair (7-12)		Poor (1-6)		Failed (0)		TOTAL
S. T.	MILES	%	MILES	%	MILES	%	MILES	%	MILES	%	MILES
AS											
СО											
Totals											

		Unpaved Condition Rating [Condition(RSL)]										
	Excellent (8-10)		Good (5-7)		Fair (3-4)		Poor (1-2)		Failed (0)		TOTAL	
S. T.	MILES	%	MILES	%	MILES	%	MILES	%	MILES	%	MILES	
GR	3.95	60.0%	2.63	40.0%							6.58	
NA			0.22	100%							0.22	
PR	0.48	33.4%	0.95	66.6%							1.43	
Totals	4.43	53.8%	3.81	46.2%							8.24	

## Square Footage (Parking Areas)

		Condition Rating											
	Excellent		Good		Fair		Poor		Failed		Total		
	Square		Square		Square	Square		Square			Square		
S. T.	Feet	%	Feet	%	Feet	%	Feet	%	Feet	%	Feet		
AS													
СО													
GR			3541	100%							3541		
NA			15418	44.9%	4474	13.0%	14442	42.1%			34334		
PR													
Totals			18959	50.1%	4474	11.8%	14442	38.1%			37875		

## Lake Ilo NWR

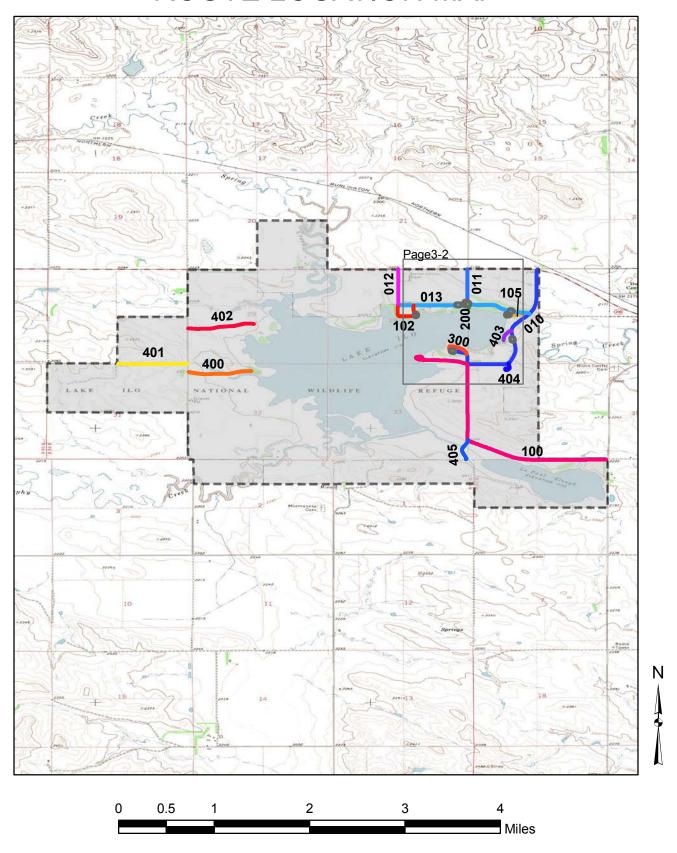
## **Summaries**

Route Miles and Percentages by Use Type and Condition

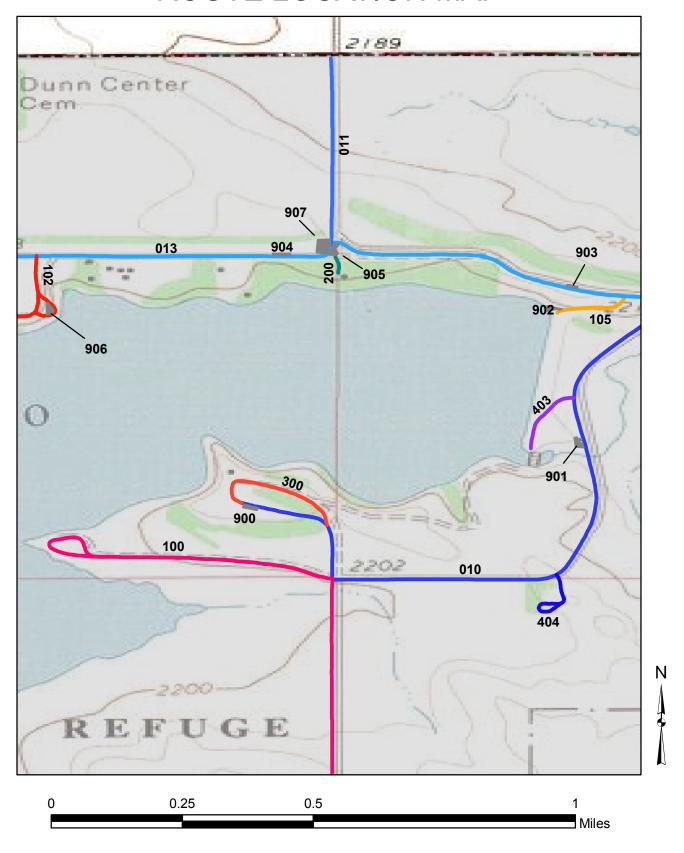
			Road C	ondition	Rating: Po	ublic/Adı	ministrative	e Use				PERCENT
	Excellent		Good		Fair		Poor		Failed		TOTAL	TOTAL
<b>USE TYPE</b>	MILES	%	MILES	%	MILES	%	MILES	%	MILES	%	MILES	MILES
Public (FC I-III)	3.82	62.3%	2.31	38%							6.13	74%
Admin (FC IV-V)	0.61	28.8%	1.50	71.2%							2.11	26%
Totals	4.43	53.8%	3.81	46%							8.24	

				Par	king Cond	lition Rat	ing					PERCENT
	Excel	Excellent Good				Fair		Poor		d	Total	TOTAL
	Square		Square		Square		Square		Square		Square	SF
<b>USE TYPE</b>	Feet	%	Feet	%	Feet	%	Feet	%	Feet	%	Feet	
Public			18959	50.1%	4474	11.8%	14442	38.1%			37875	100%
Admin			0									
Totals	·		18959	50.1%	4474	11.8%	14442	38.1%			37875	

# LAKE ILO NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE ROUTE LOCATION MAP



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## Lake IIo 62571 - ROUTE IDENTIFICATION LIST (NUMERIC)

Shading Color Key:

White = Paved Routes

Yellow = Unpaved Routes

RTE#	Asset Number	ROUTE NAME	RTE MI	ROUTE DESCRIPTION	PAVED MI	UN- PAVED MI	LANES	FC
010	10028396	Refuge Entrance Road	1.56	From Highway 200, to Headquarters Parking (Rte 900)	1	1.56	1	1
011	10028434	Park Access Road	0.36	From Hwy 200 to North Shore Drive (Rte 013)	-	0.36	1	1
012	10028435	Cemetery Lake Road	0.37	From Hwy 200 to Boat Launch Loop (Rte 102)	-	0.37	1	1
013	10028435	North Shore Drive	0.99	From Refuge Entrance Road (Rte 010) to Cemetery Lake Road (Rte 012)	-	0.99	1	1
100	10028433	Observation Point Road	2.30	From CR 1323 to End of Observation Point Loop	-	2.30	1	2
102	10028436	Boat Launch Loop	0.42	From Cemetery Lake Road (Rte 012) to North Shore Drive (Rte 013)	-	0.42	1	2
105	10028435	Fishing Pier Access Road	0.10	From North Shore Drive (Rte 013) to Fishing Pier Parking (Rte 902)	-	0.10	1	2
200	-	Picnic Area Access Road	0.03	From Kiosk Parking (Rte 905) to picnic area	-	0.03	1	3
300	10028455	Headquarters Loop Road	0.21	From Refuge Entrance Road (Rte 010) at HQ to Refuge Entrance Road (Rte 010) East of HQ	-	0.21	1	4
400	10028455	Donohoe Road	0.45	From 104th Ave SW to end of route	-	0.45	1	5
401	10028455	Windmill Road	0.50	From 104th Ave SW to end of route at west refuge boundary	1	0.50	1	5
402	10028455	Sharp-tail Road	0.48	From 104th Ave SW to Grove	-	0.48	1	5
403	10028455	Dam Access Road	0.12	From Refuge Entrance Road (Rte 010) to south end of dam	1	0.12	1	5
404	10028455	Bone Yard Road	0.13	From Refuge Entrance Road (Rte 010) to end of loop	1	0.13	1	5
405	10028455	Lee Paul Structure Road	0.22	From Observation Point Road (Rte 100) to end of route	-	0.22	1	5

## Lake IIo 62571 - ROUTE IDENTIFICATION LIST (PARKING)

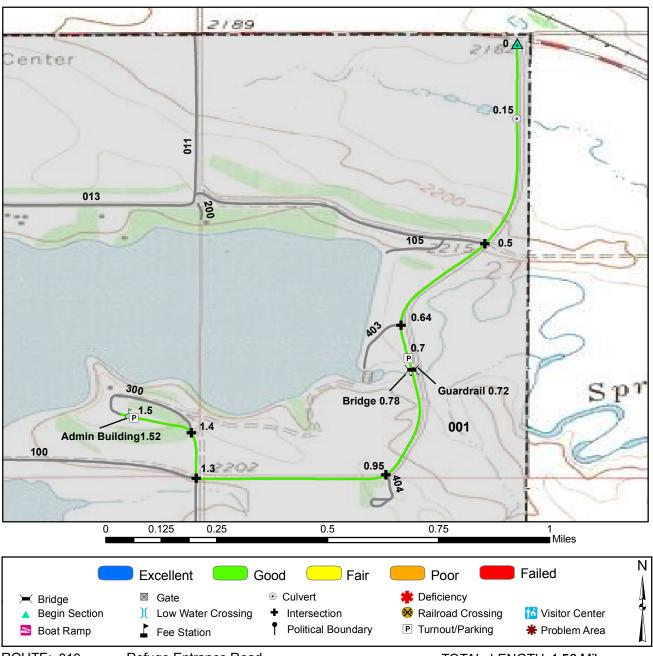
Shading Color Key:

Green = Unpaved Parking Lots
Blue = Paved Parking Lots

RTE#	ASSET NUMBER	ROUTE NAME	RTE SQFT	ROUTE DESCRIPTION	PAVED SQFT	UN- PAVED SQFT
900	10028437	Headquarters Parking	3541		-	3541
901	10058771	Chesley Dinkins Memorial Parking	4902		-	4902
902	10058771	Fishing Pier Parking	3205		-	3205
903	10028460	Lake Overlook Parking	1756		-	1756
904	10028461	Teepee Parking	2748		-	2748
905	10058771	Kiosk Parking	4563		-	4563
906	10058771	Boatramp Parking	4474		-	4474
907	10028459	Ilo Park Parking	12686		-	12686

# CHANGES TO THE FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE ROAD INVENTORY REPORT Lake Ilo 62571

Rοι	ites added	to previous inventory:			No routes added to previous inventory.
	Rte#	Rte Name			
1.			Rte Desc:		
			Reason for A	ddition:	
2.			Rte Desc:		
-			Reason for A	ddition:	
3.			Rte Desc:		
;			Reason for A	ddition:	
Roi	ites remov	ed from previous invent	orv:		One route removed from previous inventory.
	Rte #	Rte Name			and reace remoted from provided financity.
_	404	Marrier Assess Dd	Rte Desc:		
1.	104	Murphy Access Rd.	Reason for R	emoval:	Not owned by FWS
2.			Rte Desc:		•
۷.			Reason for R	emoval:	
3.			Rte Desc:		
٠.			Reason for R	emoval:	
Rou	ıtes modifi	ed from previous invent	orv:		No routes modified from previous inventory.
	Rte #	Rte Name			, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
1.			Rte Desc:		
١.			Modification:		
2.			Rte Desc:		
			Modification:		
3.			Rte Desc:		
0.			Modification:		
Cor	nments:				

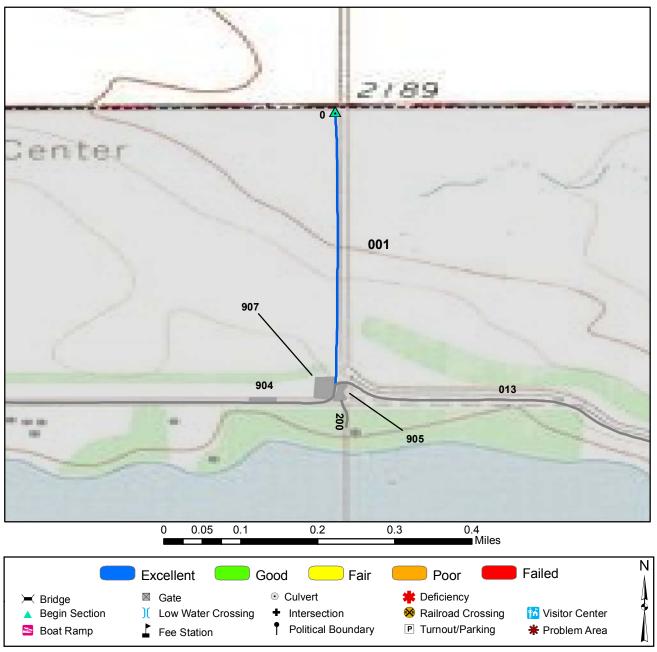


ROUTE: 010 Refuge Entrance Road TOTAL LENGTH: 1.56 Miles

ASSET: 10028396

RTE DESCRIPTION: From Highway 200, to Headquarters Parking (Rte 900)

Section Number Section Length (miles) Inspection Date	001 1.56 7/7/2008		
Section Information			
Surface Type	Gravel		
Number of Lanes	1		
Roadway Width (feet)	14		
Roadway Condition Information			
Condition	Good		
Remaining Service Life (years)	7		
Cost Estimate	\$2400		
CRV	\$1024700		

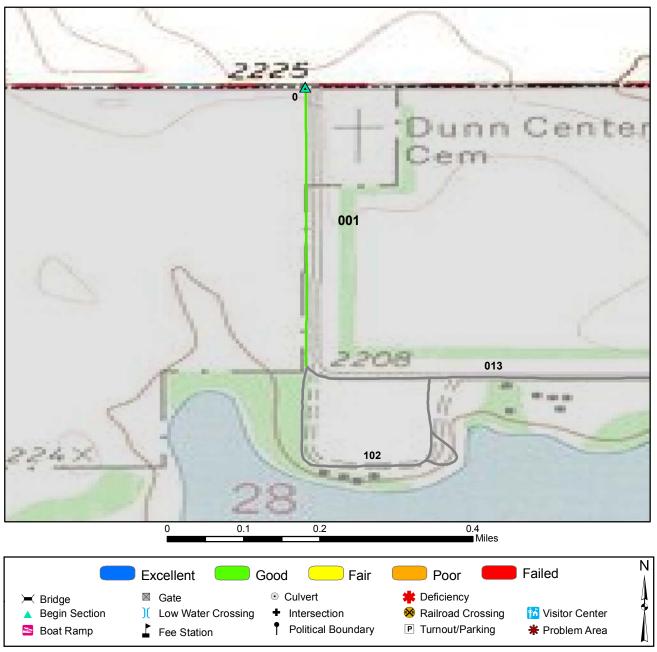


ROUTE: 011 Park Access Road TOTAL LENGTH: 0.36 Miles

ASSET: 10028434

RTE DESCRIPTION: From Hwy 200, to North Shore Drive (Rte 013)

Section Number Section Length (miles) Inspection Date	001 0.36 7/7/2008		
Section Information			
Surface Type	Gravel		
Number of Lanes	1		
Roadway Width (feet)	12		
Roadway Condition Information			
Condition	Excellent		
Remaining Service Life (years)	10		
Cost Estimate	\$0		
CRV	\$233300		

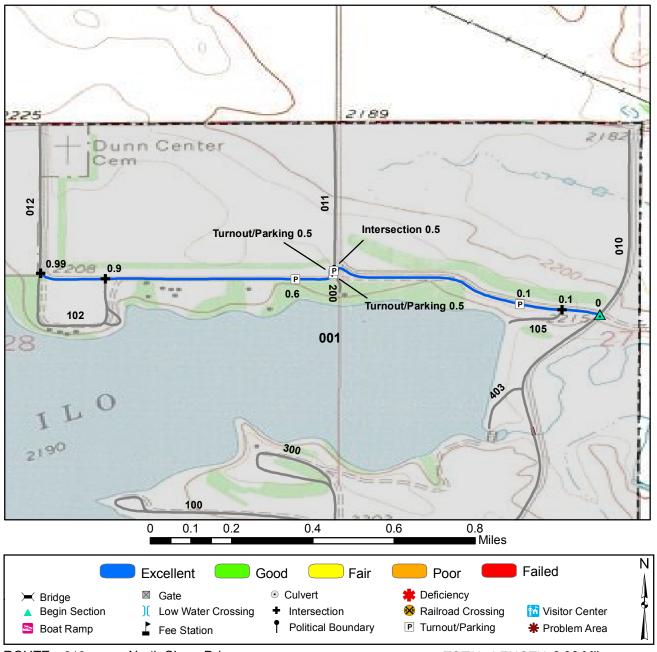


ROUTE: 012 Cemetery Lake Road TOTAL LENGTH: 0.37 Miles

ASSET: 10028435

RTE DESCRIPTION: From Highway 200, to Boat Launch Loop (Rte 102)

Section Number Section Length (miles) Inspection Date	001 0.37 7/7/2008		
Section Information Surface Type Number of Lanes Roadway Width (feet)	Gravel 1 12		
Roadway Condition Information Condition Remaining Service Life (years) Cost Estimate CRV	Good 7 \$600 \$241100		

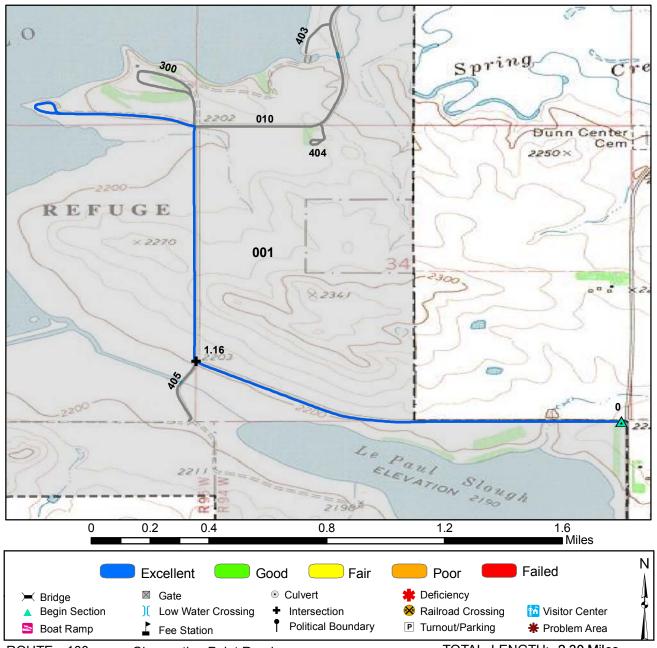


ROUTE: 013 North Shore Drive TOTAL LENGTH: 0.99 Miles

ASSET: 10028435

RTE DESCRIPTION: From Refuge Entrance Road (Rte 010), to Cemetery Lake Road (Rte 012)

Section Number Section Length (miles) Inspection Date	001 0.99 7/7/2008		
Section Information Surface Type	Gravel		
Number of Lanes Roadway Width (feet)	1 12		
Roadway Condition Information			
Condition	Excellent		
Remaining Service Life (years)	8		
Cost Estimate CRV	\$0 \$647000		

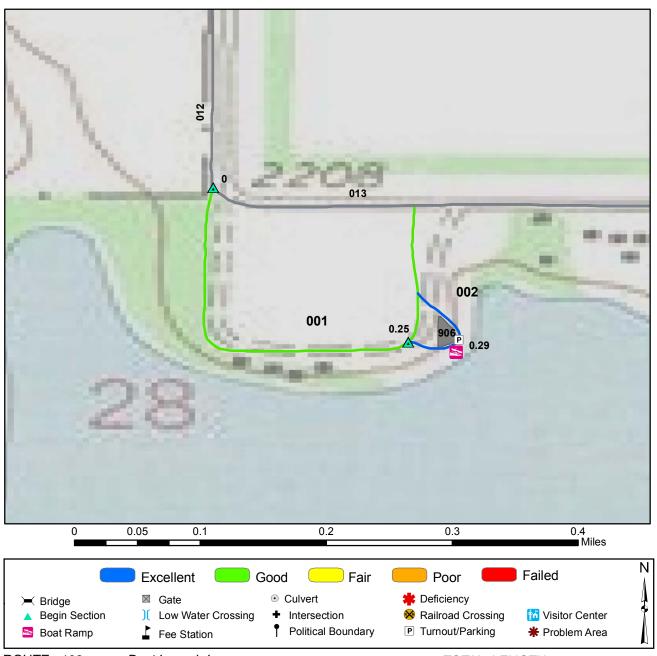


ROUTE: 100 Observation Point Road TOTAL LENGTH: 2.30 Miles

ASSET: 10028433

RTE DESCRIPTION: From County Road 1323, to end of loop

Section Number Section Length (miles) Inspection Date	001 2.30 7/7/2008		
Section Information Surface Type Number of Lanes Roadway Width (feet)	Gravel 1 10		
Roadway Condition Information Condition Remaining Service Life (years) Cost Estimate CRV	Excellent 8 \$0 \$1510000		

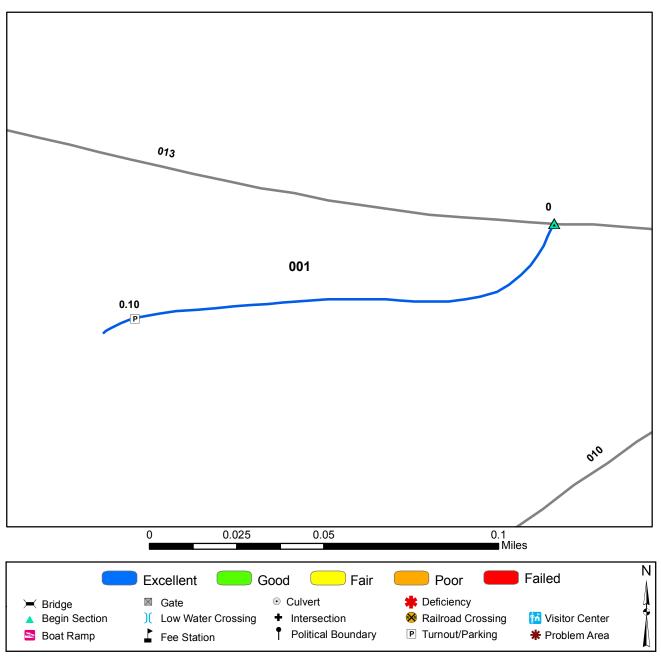


ROUTE: 102 Boat Launch Loop TOTAL LENGTH: 0.42 Miles

ASSET: 10028436

RTE DESCRIPTION: From Cemetery Lake Road (Rte 012), to North Shore Drive (Rte 013)

Section Number Section Length (miles) Inspection Date	001 0.34 7/7/2008	002 0.08 7/7/2008		
Section Information				
Surface Type Number of Lanes Roadway Width (feet)	Gravel 1 10	Gravel 1 10		
Roadway Condition Information				
Condition	Good	Excellent		
Remaining Service Life (years)  Cost Estimate	7 \$500	10 \$0		
CRV	\$226500	\$49900		

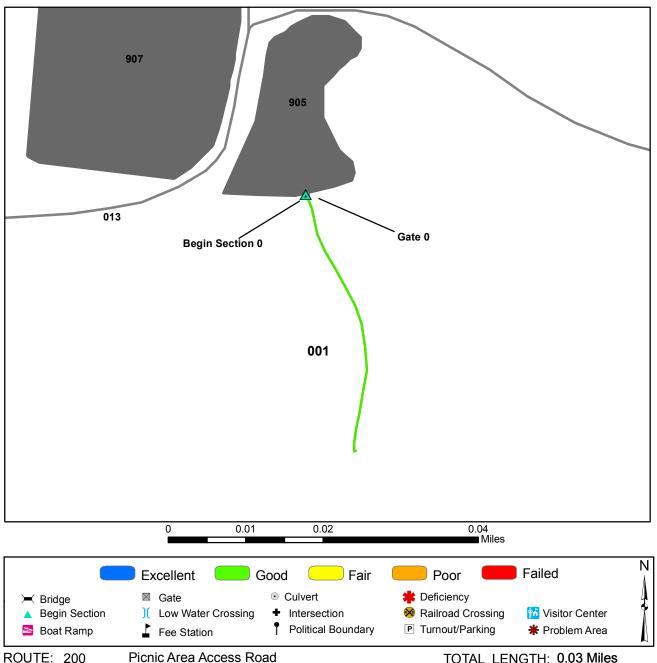


ROUTE: 105 Fishing Pier Access Road TOTAL LENGTH: 0.10 Miles

ASSET: 10028435

RTE DESCRIPTION: From North Shore Drive (Rte 013), to Fishing Pier Parking (Rte 902)

Section Number Section Length (miles) Inspection Date	001 0.10 7/7/2008		
Section Information			
Surface Type	Gravel		
Number of Lanes	1		
Roadway Width (feet)	10		
Roadway Condition Information			
Condition	Excellent		
Remaining Service Life (years)	9		
Cost Estimate	\$0		
CRV	\$67000		

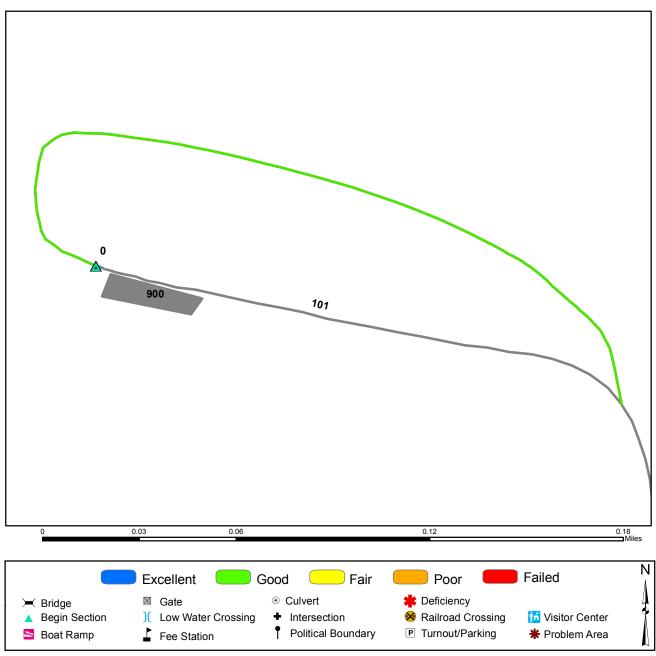


ROUTE: 200 TOTAL LENGTH: 0.03 Miles

ASSET:

RTE DESCRIPTION: From Kiosk Parking (Rte 905), to picnic area

Section Number Section Length (miles) Inspection Date	001 0.03 7/7/2008		
Section Information			
Surface Type	Gravel		
Number of Lanes	1		
Roadway Width (feet)	8		
Roadway Condition Information			
Condition	Good		
Remaining Service Life (years)	7		
Cost Estimate	\$100		
CRV	\$22600		

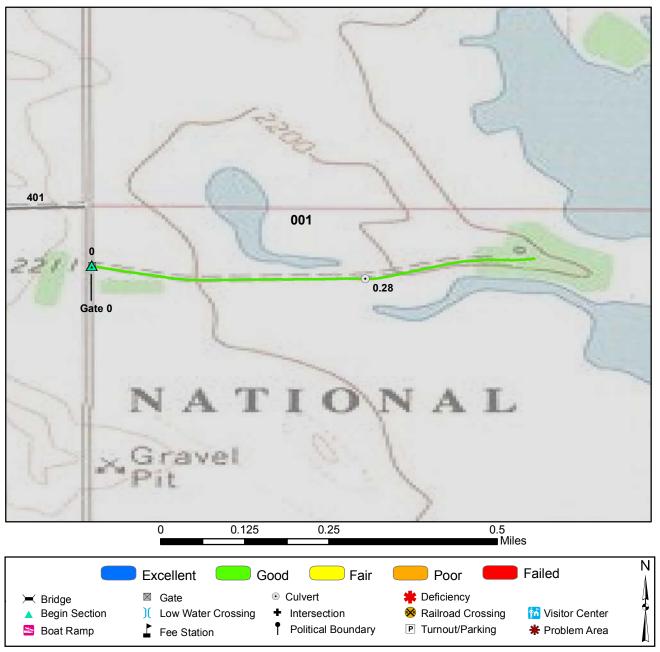


ROUTE: 300 Headquarters Loop Road TOTAL LENGTH: 0.21 Miles

ASSET: 10028455

RTE DESCRIPTION: From Refuge Entrance Road (Rte 010) at HQ, to Refuge Entrance Road (Rte 010) East of HQ

Section Number Section Length (miles) Inspection Date	001 0.21 7/7/2008		
Section Information			
Surface Type	Gravel		
Number of Lanes	1		
Roadway Width (feet)	10		
Roadway Condition Information			
Condition	Good		
Remaining Service Life (years)	7		
Cost Estimate	\$300		
CRV	\$134800		

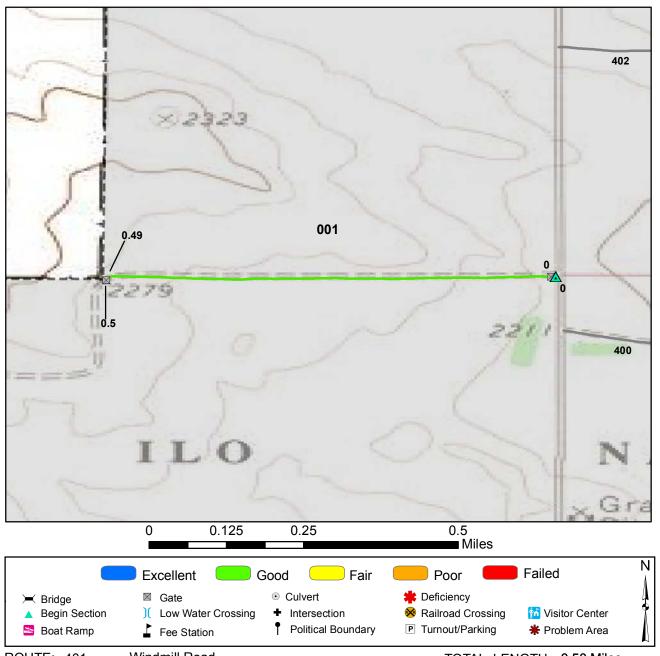


ROUTE: 400 Donohoe Road TOTAL LENGTH: 0.45 Miles

ASSET: 10028455

RTE DESCRIPTION: From 104th Ave SW, to end of route

Section Number Section Length (miles) Inspection Date	001 0.45 7/7/2008		
Section Information			
Surface Type	Primitive		
Number of Lanes Roadway Width (feet)	1 8		
Roadway Condition Information			
Condition	Good		
Remaining Service Life (years) Cost Estimate	7 \$200		
CRV	\$0		

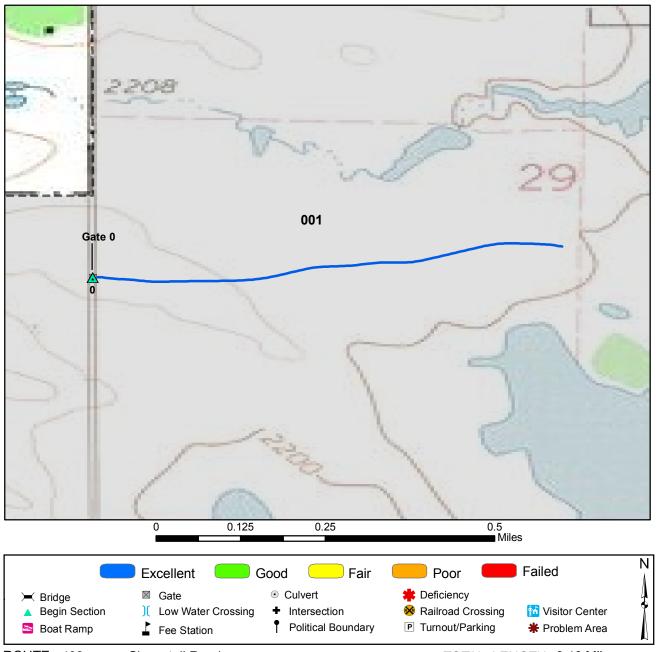


ROUTE: 401 Windmill Road TOTAL LENGTH: 0.50 Miles

ASSET: 10028455

RTE DESCRIPTION: From 104th Ave SW, to end of route at west refuge boundary

Section Number Section Length (miles) Inspection Date	001 0.50 7/7/2008		
Section Information			
Surface Type Number of Lanes Roadway Width (feet)	Primitive 1 8		
Roadway Condition Information			
Condition	Good		
Remaining Service Life (years)	5		
Cost Estimate	\$200		
CRV	\$0		

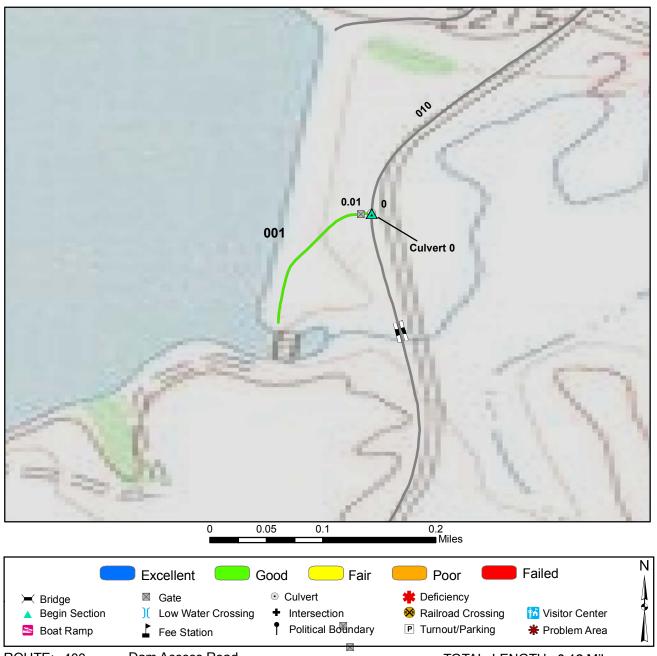


ROUTE: 402 Sharp-tail Road TOTAL LENGTH: 0.48 Miles

ASSET: 10028455

RTE DESCRIPTION: From 104th Ave SW, to end of route

Section Number Section Length (miles) Inspection Date	001 0.48 7/7/2008		
Section Information Surface Type Number of Lanes	Primitive 1		
Roadway Width (feet)  Roadway Condition Information			
Condition Remaining Service Life (years) Cost Estimate CRV	Excellent 9 \$0 \$0		

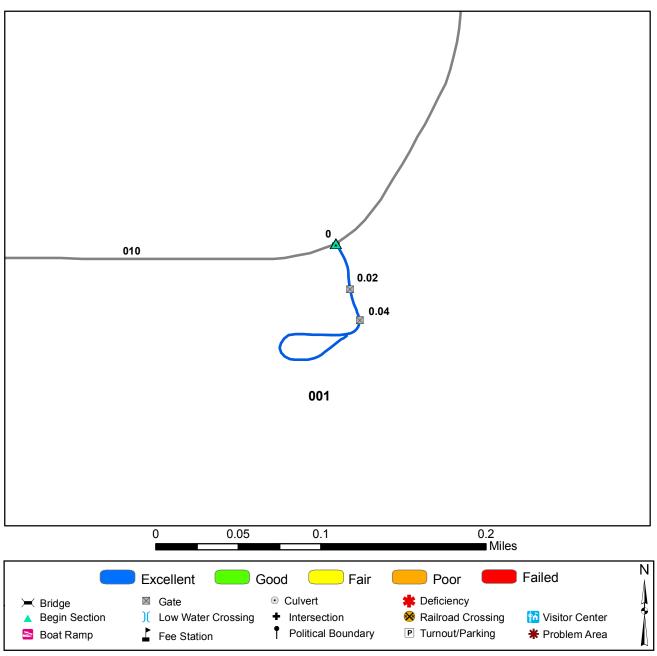


ROUTE: 403 Dam Access Road TOTAL LENGTH: 0.12 Miles

ASSET: 10028455

RTE DESCRIPTION: From Refuge Entrance Road (Rte 010), to south end of dam

Section Number Section Length (miles) Inspection Date	001 0.12 7/7/2008		
Section Information			
Surface Type	Gravel		
Number of Lanes	1		
Roadway Width (feet)	8		
Roadway Condition Information			
Condition	Good		
Remaining Service Life (years)	7		
Cost Estimate	\$200		
CRV	\$80200		

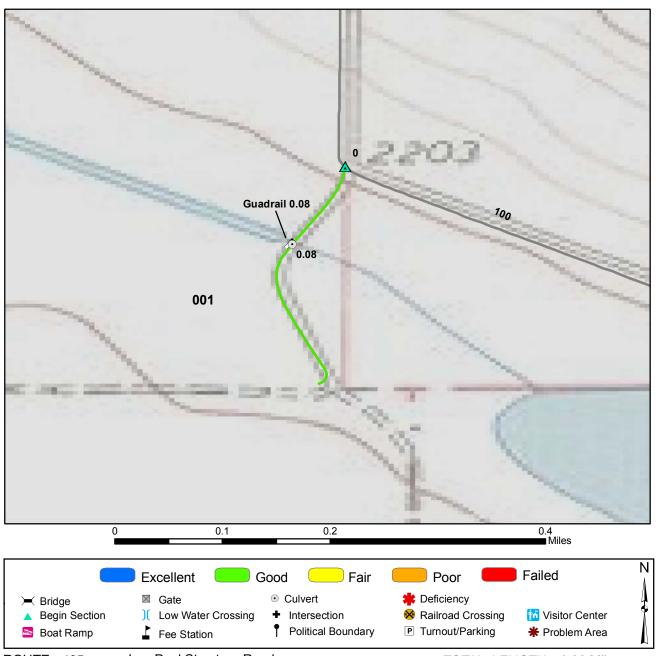


ROUTE: 404 Bone Yard Road TOTAL LENGTH: 0.13 Miles

ASSET: 10028455

RTE DESCRIPTION: From Refuge Entrance Road (Rte 010) to end of loop

Section Number Section Length (miles) Inspection Date	001 0.13 7/7/2008		
Section Information			
Surface Type	Gravel		
Number of Lanes	1		
Roadway Width (feet)	10		
Roadway Condition Information			
Condition	Excellent		
Remaining Service Life (years)	9		
Cost Estimate	\$0		
CRV	\$85000		



ROUTE: 405 Lee Paul Structure Road TOTAL LENGTH: 0.22 Miles

ASSET: 10028455

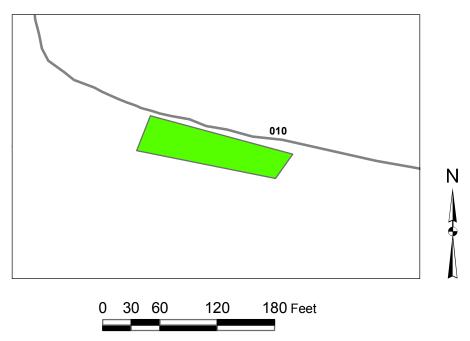
RTE DESCRIPTION: From Observation Point Road (Rte 100) to end of route

001 0.22 7/7/2008				
Native				
10				
Good				
7				
\$400 \$74700				
	0.22 7/7/2008 Native 1 10 Good 7 \$400	0.22 7/7/2008 Native 1 10 Good 7 \$400	0.22 7/7/2008 Native 1 10 Good 7 \$400	0.22 7/7/2008 Native 1 10 Good 7 \$400

Lake Ilo Route 900: Headquarters Parking

Asset Number Date Visited		Surface Type	Area (sq ft)	Condition	Cost to Improve
10028437	7/7/2008	Gravel	3541	Good	\$500





Lake Ilo NWR Bridge Inventory							
Rte # Milepost NBIS #		Sufficiency Rating	Functionally Obsolete	Structurally Deficient			
010	0.725	000062571-00019	990	N/A	Not Deficient		

ROUTE NUMBER: 010 ROUTE NAME: Refuge Entrance Road



Photo # 6090 - MP 0.00 - Begin Route at Begin Section

ROUTE NUMBER: 010 ROUTE NAME: Refuge Entrance Road



Photo # 6098 - MP 0.78 - Bridge

ROUTE NUMBER: 011 ROUTE NAME: Park Access Road



Photo # 6087 - MP 0.00 - Begin Route at Begin Section

ROUTE NUMBER: 012 ROUTE NAME: Cemetery Lake Road



Photo # 6081 - MP 0.00 - Begin Route at Begin Section

ROUTE NUMBER: 013 ROUTE NAME: North Shore Drive



Photo # 6084 - MP 0.00 - Begin Route at Begin Section

ROUTE NUMBER: 100 ROUTE NAME: Observation Point Road



Photo # 6108 - MP 0.00 - Begin Route at Begin Section

ROUTE NUMBER: 102 ROUTE NAME: Boat Launch Loop



Photo # 6082 - MP 0.00 - Begin Route at Begin Section

ROUTE NUMBER: 102 ROUTE NAME: Boat Launch Loop



Photo # 6083 - MP 0.25 - Begin Section 002

ROUTE NUMBER: 105 ROUTE NAME: Fishing Pier Access Road



Photo # 6088 - MP 0.00 - Begin Route at Begin Section

ROUTE NUMBER: 200 ROUTE NAME: Picnic Area Access Road



Photo # 6085 - MP 0.00 - Begin Route at Begin Section

ROUTE NUMBER: 300 ROUTE NAME: Headquarters Loop Road



Photo # 6103 - MP 0.00 - Begin Route at Begin Section

ROUTE NUMBER: 400 ROUTE NAME: Donohoe Road



Photo # 6073 - MP 0.00 - Begin Route at Begin Section

ROUTE NUMBER: 401 ROUTE NAME: Windmill Road



Photo # 6076 - MP 0.00 - Begin Route at Begin Section

ROUTE NUMBER: 402 ROUTE NAME: Sharp-tail Road



Photo # 6080 - MP 0.00 - Begin Route at Begin Section

ROUTE NUMBER: 403 ROUTE NAME: Dam Access Road



Photo # 6093 - MP 0.00 - Begin Route at Begin Section

ROUTE NUMBER: 404 ROUTE NAME: Bone Yard Road



Photo # 6099 - MP 0.00 - Begin Route at Begin Section

ROUTE NUMBER: 405 ROUTE NAME: Lee Paul Structure Road



Photo # 6104 - MP 0.00 - Begin Route at Begin Section

## **Accident Summary**

Number of Accidents Reported	Timespan of Accidents	Injuries	Fatalities	
0	No Accidents to Report	0	0	

### **APPENDIX**

	FWS ROAD FUNCTIONAL CLASSIFICATION
Class I	Principal Refuge Road (Public Roads) - Routes that constitute the main access
	route, main auto tour route, or thoroughfare for refuge visitors. These routes are
	accessible by 2WD vehicles. Routes are numbered from 10 to 99.
Class II	Connector Refuge Road (Public Roads) - Routes that provide circulation within
	the refuge. These routes can also provide access to areas of scenic, scientific,
	recreational or cultural interest, such as overlooks, campgrounds, education
	centers, etc. These routes are accessible by 2WD vehicles. Routes are numbered
	from 100 to 199.
Class III	Special Purpose Refuge Road (Public Roads) - Roads that provide circulation
	within special use areas such as campgrounds or public concessionaire facilities
	or access to remote areas of the refuge. These routes may not be 2WD accessible.
	Routes are numbered from 200 to 299
Class IV	Administrative Access Road (Administrative Roads) - Routes intended for access
	to administrative developments or structures such as maintenance offices,
	employee quarters, or utility areas. These routes are accessible by 2WD vehicles.
	These routes may restrict access to the general public. Routes are numbered from
	300 to 399.
Class V	Restricted Road (Administrative Roads) - Routes normally closed to the public,
	such as maintenance roads, service roads, patrol roads, and fire breaks. These
	routes may be open to the public for a short period of time for a special use, such
	as hunting access. These routes may not be 2WD accessible. Routes are
	numbered from 400 to 499.

A refuge road system contains those routes within or giving access to a refuge or other unit of the FWS that are administered by the FWS, or by the Service in cooperation with other agencies. The assignment of a functional classification (FC) to a refuge road is not based on traffic volumes or design speed, but on the intended use or function of that route.

#### **DESCRIPTION OF RATING SYSTEM**

Rating Data is collected on four different surface types: Asphalt, Concrete, Gravel, and Native. The Utah LTAP Center's Remaining Service Life (RSL) system is used for all surface types. The RSL system is based on the Strategic Highway Research Program's (SHRP) Distress Identification Manual.

#### **Asphalt Rating System**

Data is collected on the following distresses and conditions:

- **Fatigue Cracking** Interconnected cracks forming small irregular shapes.
- **Longitudinal Cracking** Cracks running parallel with the roadway, in the direction of traffic.
- **Transverse Cracking** Cracks perpendicular to the roadway, going across the lane or lanes.
- **Block Cracking** Interconnected cracks forming large blocks.
- **Edge Cracking** Cracks running along the edge of the pavement surface.
- **Patches** Original surface repaired with new asphalt patch material.
- **Potholes** Holes or depressions in the pavement.
- **Rutting** surface depressions in the wheel paths.
- **Roughness** Evenness of pavement for serviceability.
- **Drainage** Ability of the road surface to drain water based on proper slope.

A Condition Rating value is calculated for each homogenous pavement section, and can be up to 1 mile in length.

#### **Rating Index Formula**

Fatigue, longitudinal, transverse, block, and edge cracking, along with patching and potholes are rated on a 0 - 9 scale (0 = no distress, 9 = maximum distress). The rating given is based on the extent and the severity of the distress. Rutting, roughness, and drainage are rated on a 0 - 3 scale (0 = excellent, 3 = poor). Each distress type has given Remaining Service Life (RSL) values (in years) based on the rating for that particular distress. The distress with the rating resulting in the lowest RSL value is considered to be the governing distress. That value is then assigned as the RSL of the road segment.

#### **Concrete Rating System**

Data is collected on the following distresses and conditions:

- **Spalling of Joints** Chipping, breaking, or cracking of slab edges
- **Joint Seal Damage** Any damage or condition that enables materials or water to infiltrate into the joint from the surface.
- **Corner Breaks** A portion of the slab separated by a crack that intersects the adjacent transverse and longitudinal joints, forming approximately a 45° angle to the direction.
- **Broken Slabs** Faulting and/or cracking localized to individual slabs.
- **Faulting** Difference in elevation across a crack or joint.
- **Longitudinal Cracking** Cracks in the pavement running parallel to road.

- **Transverse Cracking** Cracks in the pavement running perpendicular to the direction of traffic.
- **Patch Deterioration** Faulting, settling, or cracking of previously placed patch
- **Map Cracking** A series of cracks that extend only into the upper surface of the Slab

A Condition Rating value is calculated for each homogenous pavement section, and can be up to 1 mile in length.

#### **Rating Index Formula**

The rating procedure for concrete pavement is the same as that for asphalt pavement described previously. Each of the distresses described above are rated on the same 0-9 scale. The governing distress is then determined and the RSL associated with that distress is assigned to the road segment.

#### **Gravel and Native Rating System**

Data is collected on the following distresses and conditions:

- **Cross Section (Crown)** Roadway built so that the center is higher than the shoulder, to prevent water from pooling on roadway.
- **Roadside Drainage** Roadside ditches and culverts to handle water flow and prevent pooling on the roadside.
- **Corrugations (Washboarding)** Small trenches or holes developing perpendicular to the roadway.
- **Potholes** Holes or depressions in the roadway.
- **Rutting** Depressions running parallel with the roadway, in the wheelpaths.
- Dust Amount of dust caused by traffic.
- **Loose Aggregate (Gravel Only)** Loose gravel, typically piled up on the roadway edges or centerline.

A Condition Rating value is calculated for each homogenous pavement section, and can be up to 1 mile in length.

#### **Rating Index Formula**

The rating procedure for unpaved roads is the same as that for asphalt and concrete pavements described previously. Of the distresses described above, corrugations, potholes, rutting, and loose aggregate are rated on the same 0-9 scale previously mentioned. Cross section, roadside drainage, and dust are rated on the same 0-3 scale described for asphalt pavement. The governing distress is then determined and the RSL associated with that distress is assigned to the road segment.

## **Condition Descriptions by Surface Type**

The following definitions are used to describe pavement condition for the various surface types. These are general guidelines for condition indications.

#### **Asphalt**

**Excellent** – Recently constructed or overlaid road where construction or overlay was performed correctly- No maintenance required. RSL = 19-20 years.

Good – Low extent longitudinal and transverse cracks. All cracks are 1/4" or less with little or no crack erosion. Patches are in good condition and applied correctly. Routine Maintenance recommended. RSL = 13-18 years.

**Fair** - Roads are in good structural condition with little or no fatigue cracking. Longitudinal, transverse, and edge cracking is at medium extent and severity. Block cracking is not extensive. Any patches are in good condition. Preventative maintenance recommended. RSL = 7-12 years.

**Poor** - Road beginning to show signs of structural distress. Fatigue cracking is medium to high extent and medium severity. Cracking will be severe. Surface may have severe block cracking and show. Patches are in fair to poor condition. There is moderate distortion or rutting and occasional potholes. Rehabilitation recommended. RSL = 1-6 years.

**Failed** - Road is severely deteriorated. Signs of structural failure appear along with severe and extensive fatigue cracking, distortion, potholes, or extensive patches in poor condition. Reconstruction recommended. RSL = 0 years.

#### Concrete

**Excellent** - New pavement. No maintenance required. RSL = 19-20 years

**Good** - First signs of transverse cracking, patch or repair, more extensive pop-outs, or scaling. Sealing or routine maintenance recommended. RSL = 13-18 years.

**Fair** – Pavement has join or crack spalling, and/or faulting, along with cracking at corners with broken pieces. Any Patches are in fair condition and faulting is at a minimum. Preventative maintenance recommended. RSL = 7-12 years.

**Poor** - Joints and cracks are open 1 inch, spalled, or patched. Faulting is more severe. Rehabilitation recommended. RSL = 1-6 years.

**Failed** - Most slabs have failed structurally, and faulting is severe. Reconstruction recommended. RSL = 0 years. 11-9

The following table shows the relationship between RSL and condition.

SUBJECTIVE CONDITION RATING FOR REMAINING SERVICE LIFE								
(Asphalt and Concrete Pavements)								
	FAILED	PO	OR	FAIR		GOOD		EXCELLENT
RSL Years	0	1-3	4-6	7-9	10-12	13-15	16-18	19-20

#### **Gravel and Native**

**Note** - Native surfaces do not have a gravel layer.

**Excellent** - Newly constructed road that has been constructed properly with proper crown, drainage and gravel layer. Little or no distress. No maintenance recommended. RSL = 8-10 years.

**Good** - Crown, drainage provisions, and gravel layer are in good condition. Distress limited to traffic effects such as dust, loose aggregate, and low severity corrugations (wash boarding). RSL = 5-7 years.

**Fair** - Adequate drainage and crown through majority of roadway. Crown repair, ditch improvement may be necessary. Road has more severe corrugations and potholes. Preventative maintenance recommended. RSL = 3-4 years.

**Poor** - Travel at slow speeds is necessary. Additional gravel layer needed to carry traffic. Poor crown. Ditching is inadequate and rutting is extensive and severe. Rehabilitation recommended. RSL = 1-2 years.

**Failed** - Travel is difficult, and road may be closed at times. Rutting and Corrugations are very severe. Total Reconstruction of road is recommended. RSL = 0 years.

The following table shows the RSL values for gravel and native roads in terms of excellent,good, fair, poor, and failed condition.

SUBJECTIVE CONDITION RATING FOR REMAINING SERVICE LIFE								
	(Gravel and Native Surfaces)							
	FAILED	POOR	FAIR	GOOD	EXCELLENT			
RSL Years	0	1-2	3-4	5-7	8-10			